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Republican Ticket.

For Judges of the Supreme Court,
HENRY LAMM,
MOSES WHYBARK,
EDWARD HIGBEE.

For Judge Court of Appeals,
EDWARD C. ELIOT.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
J. U. WHITE.

For Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner,
W. S. CRANE (long term),
BARNEY W. FRAUNTHAL (short term).

For Congress,
JOHN H. RANEY.

For State Senator,
HARRY CLYMER.

For Representative,
JOHN J. DECLUE.

For County Clerk,
N. F. ROBINSON.

For Circuit Clerk and Recorder,
JOS. E. SLOAN.

For Collector,
JOHN MACLAY.

For Treasurer,
JULES F. BOYER.

For Prosecuting Attorney,
M. E. RHODES.

For Sheriff,
E. R. HANSON.

For Probate Judge,
J. A. HENSON.

For Presiding Judge County Court,
L. A. PAGE.

For County Judge—1st dist.,
J. C. COLEMAN.

For County Judge—2d dist.,
F. E. COLE.

For Coroner,
CHAS. WILLIAMS.

Remember the school fund

Let it be a Republican landslide

Vote the Republican ticket and

be happy.

It is time to give attention to the

Vote for E. R. Hanson for Sher-

iff. He is all right.

Don't scratch, it only makes sore

places that are long in healing.

Vote the Republican ticket as a

protest to thirty years of ring rule.

Vote for J. A. Henson for Pro-

bate Judge as a recognition of the

old soldiers.

Down booze and boodle politics.

In other words, defeat the Demo-

cratic party.

Vote for M. E. Rhodes for Pros-

ecuting Attorney and the laws will

be properly enforced.

Vote for John MacLay for Col-

lector, you could not find a better

man than he for the office.

Republicans in the court house

would be a relief to the people of

the county in general.

Let Republicans elect their own

ticket this year, they don't owe the

Democrats anything more.

Vote for Harry Clymer for

State Senator, the opponent of the

lobby tool, Frank H. Farris.

Vote for N. F. Robinson for

County Clerk, and put in office a

competent and conscientious man.

Vote for Jules F. Boyer, for

Treasurer. He will keep the funds

All the candidates on the demo-

cratic county ticket will vote their

own party ticket straight. What

honest claim have they to any Re-

publican vote.

Remember to scratch the "Yes"

in the constitutional amendment

relating to the certificates of in-

debtedness. To adopt this amend-

ment would fasten a perpetual debt

upon the state.

One thousand dollars is said to

have been thrown into this county

to aid in electing a Democrat to

the Legislature. It is safe to say

that this money did not come from

the common people.

Remember that a vote for the

Democratic candidate for Repre-

sentative would be a vote for

"Gumshoe Bill" Stone for U. S.

Senator. No honest Republican

can swallow "Gumshoe Bill."

Give Missouri Republican rule

and it will quickly be discovered

where the funds went that made

that \$11,000,000 hole in the state's

finances. Keep the Democrats in

power and the hole will continue

to grow.

Lest we forget, the Independent

has termed all Republicans who

have scratched their tickets in the

past as "hopelessly rotten." Show

the Democrats how you will re-

sist this insult in return for your

favours.

Vote for John J. Declue for Re-

presentative and send a Republican

to the next Legislature. Your vote

for Declue would mean that you

are in favor of restoring the school

fund to the people and an honest

investigation of the state's fi-

nances.

Congressman Robb stands for a

return of those conditions which

prevailed in this country from 1894

to 1897. His opponent, Mr. Raney

will uphold the principles that

brought about the era of prosperity

which followed the turning down

of Mr. Robb's party six years

ago.

iteration of faith shall be made for

fear that the interests of the gang

might suffer thereby. The honest

democracy has been kicked in the

rear by the men who compose the

democratic county ticket to im-

press a few Republican voters with

the idea that county politics do not

involve any adherence to party

faith. If these gangsters have no

respect for the party what consid-

eration should the party have for

them? It is nothing to the conscien-

tious democrat that a man who sets

selfishness above party faith holds

an office. The democrat who is

faithful to his political convictions

should resent the insult that has

been given the party by doing a

little penciling on his county tick-

et.

The argument that this county

would be better represented in the

next Legislature by the Democrat-

ic candidate for Representative be-

cause he is a lawyer is fallacy. All

the records of the state legislature

go to show that lawyers as repre-

sentatives are almost without ex-

ception the friends of the great

moneyed corporations. The fact

that these corporations have been

able to get just what they want

in the way of legislation here in

Missouri is largely due to the legal

fraternity in the Legislature. Such

members as represent other voca-

tions, agricultural or industrial,

are on the side of the common

masses of the people, and of such

is the Republican candidate for

Representative. We do not main-

tain that the Democratic candidate

is a lobbyist or a boodler because

he is a lawyer, but we believe his

record at the last session will show

that his vote was generally cast

in support of corporate measures.

The position as a corporation at-

torney is conceded by the legal

fraternity to be the best paying of

any in the profession and almost

every lawyer looks forward to the

time when he will be filling such a

position. The position as a corpo-

ration attorney is conceded by the

legal fraternity to be the best pay-

ing of any in the profession and al-

most every lawyer looks forward to

the time when he will be filling such

a position, and does all in his power

to keep friendly with corporate in-

terests. We believe the best in-

terests of the people will be sub-

servied by sending a man to the

Legislation whose interests lie

with the common masses of the

people rather than with the mon-

eyed corporations.

Make It a Republican Victory.

There are many reasons to be

put forward why, under the Re-

publican majority in this county,

the complete Republican ticket

should be elected, but the reason

above all others is that complete

Republican success would do more

to clarify the political atmosphere

of corruption in connection with

the county offices. This evil has

reached proportions here that the

Democrats who resort to money to

influence the voters are groaning

more and more over the cost of a

political campaign that holds any

promise of success. Such voters

are willing to sell their votes,

realizing that the Democrats must

have them, put up the price to the

highest figure they can get. So

the demoralizing influence extends

in both directions. Many of the

better class of Democrats willing-

ly admit that there should be re-

form along this line, but they do

not carry that conviction as far as

the ballot-box. It is, therefore,

the duty of the Republicans of

Washington County to purify local

politics by voting strictly

along party lines. Once it is shown

that party nomination in this

county is equivalent to elec-

tion the buying of votes will stop

and political conditions here will

again take on the phrase of com-

parative purity that was known

when the Republicans were the

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roads on the business of lawyers

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various ways comparatively free of

legislative restrictions.

Ask Dave Francis and the capi-

talists who contribute to the Dem-

ocratic campaign fund.

Where does the Dockery ma-

chine stand on the assessment of

corporations under the franchise

tax?

Ask the Republican judge of the

supreme court who issued a writ

to compel the State Board of

Equalization to do its duty under

the law.

Where does the Dockery ma-

chine stand on the election trust,

the biggest trust in Missouri?

Ask Ed Butler or Harry Hawes,

Dockery's police commissioners,

or Judge McCaffery, Dockery's

election commissioner, and read the

Nesbit law on which the trust is

founded—Missouri State Republi-

cans.

Hopewell.

Good weather still continues in our

section.

Rev. H. Whitehead filled his ap-

pointment here Sunday afternoon and

preached a very interesting sermon.

Several of our young folks at-

tended church at Mineral Point Sunday

night.

Our town divided on the shoes last

Friday, part went to Potosi to see

"Uncle Tom's Cabin" and some went to

Frederick to see the same play. Both parties report

having had a good time.

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